

TEACHERS SELECTED BY BOARD

Supt. Ramey with Most of the Old
Corps Again Chosen—Must
Accept Contracts Within
Ten Days

NAME THREE NEW H. S. INSTRUCTORS

Complete List of Faculty Members
—Few Vacancies Left to Be
Filled—Senior Class Roll
is Approved

Last night in the office of William
Stacey, secretary, the board of educa-
tion of Chickasha met, elected teach-
ers for the Chickasha schools for 1915-
16 and passed the senior class as rec-
ommended by the faculty of the high
school.

The election of the teachers, princi-
pals and superintendent of the Chicka-
sha schools by the board was upon the
recommendations of the committee on
teachers and salaries. Few changes
were recorded. Among the new teach-
ers in the high school will be Miss
Marjorie Graham, first English; Miss
Lela Watson, English and German,
and S. O. Neff, mathematics and phys-
ical director.

A recommendation made by the com-
mittee and passed by the board was
to the effect that the teachers be not-
ified at once of their election at the
party provided and that acceptance
be made by the teach-
ers thereafter. In the
teacher fails to accept
the contract within the time men-
tioned, the committee reserves the right
to declare the situation vacant and
elect another to fill it.

W. F. Ramey was re-elected as su-
perintendent for a term of two years,
with Paul R. Morrow principal of the
high school for another term.

Following is a list of the teachers
and faculty elected:

Wm. F. Ramey, superintendent,
High school; Paul R. Morrow, princi-
pal; Marjorie Graham, first English;
Lela Watson, English and German;
Jessie Newby, Latin; Melissa Stewart,
history; Edith Flieger, biology; Ethel
Featherstone, commercial; S. O. Neff,
mathematics and physical director;
Cecil Kirkpatrick, domestic science;
B. G. Howard, manual training.

Grades at High school: T. L. Bal-
ley, arithmetic; Cora LaBoone, lan-
guage; Laura V. Meyer, history; Sal-
lie Marks, seventh grade; Ethel Bas-
senger, eighth grade.

West school: G. E. Meador, princi-
pal; Dimple Carrington, sixth grade;
Naomi Lewis, fifth grade; Mrs. Chas.
Rogers, fourth grade; Kella Clarke,
fourth grade; Leydon Flaughier, third
grade A; Bertie Montgomery, third
grade B; Myrtle Lovejoy, second grade
A; Jean McKee, second grade B;
Maude Barton, first grade A; Malda
Rice, first grade B.

North school: E. H. Black, princi-
pal; Levia Myers, sixth grade; Mrs.
Julia Walters, fifth grade; Marguerite
Rossington, fourth grade; Nellie Briz-
indine, fourth grade; Jessie Kelsey,
fourth grade; Allie Ray, third grade;
Mrs. G. E. Pyle, second grade; Kate
Lackey, first grade; Mrs. W. H. White,
first grade.

South school: John H. Duncan,
principal; Jennie Staker, sixth grade;
Clara Gibson, fifth grade; Mrs. Una
Burton, fifth grade; Dixie Young,
fourth grade; Maude Wetherall, third
grade; Mary Heffley, second grade;
Mrs. Pearl Brashears, first grade;
Mrs. George Dyche, first grade.

Negro school: R. N. Pyrtle, princi-
pal; Dollie Thompson, Grace Dorsey,
Urania Collins, Mrs. Perry Daniels,
Theodosia Jones, teachers.

Vacancies were left in West school,
fifth grade, rural school and negro
primary.

The list of graduates recommended
to the board by the high school fac-
ulty and passed by the board, follows:
Clarence M. Sale, Margaret C. Dun-
ham, Myron W. Power (Val.), Dor-
othy Elizabeth Callaway, Paul Heffner,
Charles L. Widney, Byron O. Whit-
taker, Oscar B. Crofford, James B.
Eskridge, Mary Caroline Copeland,
Caldwell C. Chastain, Lillian P. Shus-
ter, Pearl M. Robinson, Della T. Sykes,
Harold B. Sanders, Dimple Dewa,
Royal Riddle, Faye E. Hollingsworth,
Marguerite Cecilia Streeter, Hazel

Alfida Bennett, Mattie M. Hart (Val.),
Dute Robinson, Elsie Staker, Sue Evely-
n Gilkey, Dorothy Gorman, Hazel
Owsley, Grace Weaver, I. Sunbeam
Smith, Eli W. Phillips, Agnes Gail Mc-
Clelland, Nettie M. Bell, John Looney
Wallace, Isma L. Stultz, Ella M. Wag-
ner, Ruby Alma Langston, Margaret
Adine Plato, Charis G. Ricker, Ralph
Conrad, Allie Benton. Total number,
39.

FINISHING GRADING OF BOULEVARD

Four teams are at work today on
the college boulevard and it is stated
that the grading of the street will be
finished today, and the work on filling
in low places will be begun at once.
The Business Women's club still issue
requests for clinders with which to
cover the roadway. They desire that
any person or firm who have clinders
to donate phone them at once.

President Austin of the O. C. W. is
as enthusiastic as ever over the boule-
vard and expresses his appreciation
at the progress already made. He
states that if more donations are nec-
essary, he is more than willing to do
his part. Additional donations receiv-
ed are: G. W. Barefoot, \$1; J. E.
Schow, \$2; A. F. Bock, tiling to the
amount of \$2.60.

PLANNING TO START BAND

J. A. Sager, the well known Mingo
musician, is planning to organize a
band in Chickasha. "I believe the
Chickasha musicians are ready for it
and that conditions are now favorable
to launching a first-class organization
here," said he. "I expect to call a
meeting of the musicians in the near
future and see what can be done
about it."

Mr. Sager is an "all round" musi-
cian and has had much experience as
a band leader. He is now teaching a
number of private pupils here and has
quite a large orchestra at the college.
"My idea is that Chickasha can have
a band second to none in the state if
the citizens are willing to give a rea-
sonable amount of support to the en-
terprise. There is plenty of talent
here and some first class material in
the smaller towns of the county would
also be available. Most of the older
musicians have already expressed a
willingness to enter into the organiza-
tion and in addition to these we can
build up a second line of the younger
element. I have no reason why Chick-
asha should not have a band that will
be equal to the best."

BIG MOVE BY BANK BOARD

By United Press.
Washington, May 11.—The
announcement was made by
the federal reserve board to-
day that a clearing system be-
tween reserve banks will be
established.
According to the official an-
nouncement the new system
will become effective May 24.
This step is regarded as one of
the most important moves
made by the board.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Western Union reports received at
S. a. m.

Oklahoma.
Generally clear, calm and pleasant.
Average temperature, 60.

Texas.
Generally clear and pleasant; no
rain. Temperature 60.

"MOTHER'S DAY" IN WASH.

By United Press.
Washington, D. C., May 11.—Today
is "Mother's Day" and in accordance
with a resolution passed by the house
of representatives May 11, 1913, all
the government officials in Washing-
ton are wearing a white carnation in
honor of the occasion.

AIRMEN ARE ACTIVE IN FIGHTING

French Bomb Maubeuge and Fire
German Hangar—Report Seri-
ous Reverses for the Teu-
tons at St. Georges

TWO TAUBES BOMB DEFENSES OF PARIS

Five Soldiers at Barracks are Killed
—Allies Busy in Dardanelles
—Servia Suffers Severely
from Typhoid

By United Press.
Paris, May 11.—French airmen are
inflicting heavy blows upon the en-
emy. They bombed Maubeuge and
fired a German hangar there, accord-
ing to an official announcement made
here today.

It is also claimed that the Germans
suffered serious reverses at St.
Georges and it is stated that the
French gained a foothold at Arras
after battering the German entangle-
ments down with artillery.

The French also bombed Carenty
on three sides. The Germans are re-
ported to have lost heavily before
Neuville. The German bombardment
of Bergues continues.

Air Raid Toward Paris.

By United Press.
Paris, May 11.—German airmen
made a raid in the direction of Paris
this morning.

Two taubes dropped three bombs on
the military barracks at St. Denis and
the northern defenses of the city. Five
soldiers were wounded.

President Poincare personally visit-
ed the hospitals and expressed his
sympathy for the victims.

Hammering the Turks.

By United Press.
Athens, May 11.—The allied war-
ships continue to hammer the Turkish
defenses along the Dardanelles.

A bloody struggle is also in progress
for the possession of strategic posi-
tions on the peninsula of Gallipoli. It
is reported that the losses of the
Turks in dead and wounded in the
peninsular fighting totals forty-five
thousand.

Servian Epidemic Frightful.

By United Press.
Nish, May 11.—The terrible epi-
demic of typhoid fever has cost Ser-
via seventy-five thousand lives up to
the present time.

It is thought that the total losses
from this cause will probably reach
one hundred thousand, though it is
claimed that it is now checked. The
British and French censors have been
suppressing the facts.

PROBATE DAY IN COUNTY COURT

Yesterday in the probate court be-
fore Judge R. E. Davenport, probate
matters consumed most of the day,
with Judge Woods, probate attorney
of Purcell in attendance at the ses-
sion.

The will of the late Benj. F. Kendig
was probated and the widow was ap-
pointed as executrix. The court ap-
pointed Alfred Hitchcock guardian in
the estate of Frank Farwell, of Kit
Farwell and Miss Gertrude Farwell,
minors. Harry Hammerly was ap-
pointed guardian of Lawrence Camp-
bell, a minor.

TRAMP IS TRAVELING KITCHEN.

By United Press.

Red Wing, Minn., May 11.—Jim Sul-
livan, typical American tramp, car-
ried a kitchen cabinet under his coat
and when arrested here the following
things were found: Eight large raw
potatoes, weighing seven pounds. One
quart bottle of sweet milk, one ten
cent loaf of wheat bread, one han-
dozen tea biscuits, one half dozen Sat-
urday rolls, fresh, two one pound pack-
ages of ground coffee, two aluminum
salt and pepper shakers, glass cruet
filled with vinegar, one raw onion and
two Japanese paper napkins.



When forty mothers, each with a baby, descended on the University settlement temporary nursery at the emergency workshop for women in New York, the problem was where to put the babies. It was solved by the gift of a number of wicker clothes baskets, which were fitted with small mattresses and pillows.

JUSTICE IS IMPEDED WITH FIST

Bob Sprouse. Bound Over in Liquor
Case, Lands Hard Blow on
Witness and Draws An-
other Charge

This morning before U. S. Commis-
sioner Hamilton, Bob Sprouse was
bound over to the action of the fed-
eral grand jury, under a bond of
\$2500, on a charge of obstructing jus-
tice by the intimidation of a witness.
The altercation out of which grew the
charge, occurred yesterday afternoon
in Commissioner Hamilton's court,
when Sprouse struck Burr Osborne, a
witness, in the jaw, rendering him
unconscious and dislocating the left
jaw.

The trial in which Osborne was
charged with introducing liquor.
According to the best information ob-
tainable, Osborne had been arrested
on a liquor charge and when arraigned
before the commissioner, stated
that he had simply been hired by
Sprouse to haul the liquor.

After the testimony was all in yester-
day and Sprouse had been commit-
ted to jail under a bond of \$2000, Os-
borne was standing in the outer room
of the commissioner's suite of rooms.
As Sprouse, who was not handcuffed,
passed the witness, without warning
he swung on Osborne's jaw. Deputy
Marshals Worley and Dillon were
standing within a few feet of Sprouse
when the blow was struck but it was
all over so quickly that neither could
prevent it. They state that Osborne
crumpled and fell on his face, uncon-
scious. Both the officers grabbed
Sprouse and searched him, but found
no weapon. He was then handcuffed
and taken to jail.

Osborne was taken to the office of
Dr. Emanuel, where examinations
proved that his jaw was dislocated.
He did not regain consciousness until
after he had been taken to the office
of the physician. When he appeared
this morning at the hearing, he was
in a weakened condition and because
of the soreness of his jaw and head
could talk but little.

The testimony of Deputies Dillon
and Worley, Dr. Emanuel and Burr
Osborne was taken. It was to the ef-
fect that after Sprouse had been com-
mitted, Deputy Worley said, "Come
on, Bob, let's go," to which Sprouse
answered, "Uncle Dick, I don't want
to go to jail."

Sprouse then got up, crossed to
Commissioner Hamilton and talked
some to him. Deputy Dillon had start-
ed out, but stopped and was standing
in the outer door. Deputy Worley
again spoke to the prisoner, asking
him to come without further delay.
Osborne had left the room after giving
his testimony and was standing in the
outer room, leaning against a book-
case, right elbow on the case and his
chin in the palm of his right hand. He
was some four to six feet from the
door through which Sprouse passed
as he followed the officer out.

Deputy Worley testified this morn-
ing that as he neared the outer door
he turned and was just in time to see
Sprouse deliver the blow that felled
Osborne. The man, he said, sank to

GERMAN IS STRONG FOR THE PRESIDENT.

By United Press.
Austin, Tex., May 11.—The
house today adopted a resolu-
tion pledging to uphold the
course of the president in the
Lusitania affair. Burmeister,
one of the German-American
members, declared he was for
the president, right or wrong.

OBREGON'S LEFT WING DESTROYED

By United Press.
Washington May 11.—The Villista
agency here today gave out the in-
formation that Villa's forces destroy-
ed the entire left wing of Obregon's
Carranzista army and drove Obregon
back to Irapuato.

Embargo Considered.

Washington, May 11.—Officials here
are giving consideration to Duval
West's reported suggestion as to plac-
ing an embargo on the exportation of
arms to Mexico. It is claimed that
this is the only way except interven-
tion to stop the revolutions.

Would Avenge Deaths in Lusitania Disaster

By United Press.
New Britain, Conn., May 11.—The
Trumbull brothers, who control the
Trumbull Manufacturing company, say
they will manufacture ammuni-
tion for the allies in order to avenge
the death of their brother on the Lu-
sitania.

Goes to Join British.

By United Press.
Roelyn, Wash., May 11.—Daniel
Lambis will start from here Thursday
toward Europe to join the British army
for the purpose of avenging the
deaths of his wife and children
who were passengers on the Lusitania.

WILL SUBMIT REPORT AT MEETING OF COUNCIL.

Public announcement of the report
of Mr. Nash of the state examiner and
inspector's office, on the condition of
the city records and books, will be
made at the council meeting Thursday
night. Yesterday afternoon, Mr. Nash
made a report to the finance com-
mittee of the council in executive session.
The contents of the report were not
given out.

the floor and fell on his face with his
head at the head of the deputy's feet.
Sprouse was speedily overpowered.

Sprouse will be taken to Muskogee,
probably tomorrow, with two charges
against him, introducing liquor into
the eastern district of Oklahoma and
obstructing justice. His total bonds
amount to \$4500.

ESTIMATE DEATH LIST NOW 1150

British Disposed to Let America
Pursue Its Own Course—Con-
scription Urged for Over-
whelming Enemy

By United Press.
Queenstown, May 11.—The Cunard
line officials now estimate the death
toll in the Lusitania disaster to have
been 1150.

The company is being criticised for
failing to make a systematic search
for bodies. Many are reported to be
floating well out from the shore.

British Opinion.

By United Press.
London, May 11.—Though some in-
sist that war is the only thing com-
patible with American honor in the
Lusitania case, the press and public
generally are inclined to let America
take its own course in the matter.

It is pointed out that the army and
navy difficulties of and the German-
American population complicate the
situation for the United States.

The Unionists are urging parliament
to adopt conscription in order to over-
whelm Germany.

The London Times says: "We shall
say nothing which may seem to in-
tensely the heavy and perplexing re-
sponsibility resting upon President
Wilson and his colleagues. No at-
tempt at direct action, should such a
course be considered, could have any
very material effect on the situation."

Swiss Call It Piracy.

By United Press.
Geneva, May 11.—All the Swiss
newspapers express indignation con-
cerning the torpedoing of the Cunard
liner Lusitania.

The Tribune de Geneve says:
"How can our opinion remain neu-
tral before such an abominable crime?
Precisely because we are neutral we
protest with all our force against this
premeditated act of piracy. The cup
has overflowed."

STOCK PRICES SOAR.

By United Press.
New York, May 11.—Follow-
ing the slump that was caused
by the sinking of the Lusitania,
there was a sensational jump
in the prices of stocks at the
opening of the exchange today.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Oklahoma.
Fair tonight and Wednesday.
Local Temperature.
During the twenty-four hours ending
at 8 a. m.
Maximum 80
Minimum 49

POLICY NOT OUTLINED IN SPEECH

President Says He Gave Mere Per-
sonal Expression in Phila.—
Corrects Conclusions
Drawn by Press

CABINET HOLDS A LONG SESSION

Nothing to Give Out Till All Facts
are Received—Will Make
American Position Plain
to Germany

By United Press.

Washington, May 11.—In his week-
ly conference with the newspaper men
this morning, President Wilson stated
that he did not intend to outline a
policy in his Philadelphia speech last
night.

The president said his utterances in
this speech were merely his personal
expression to those who were gather-
ed to hear him.
The speech was interpreted by a
portion of the press and by some who
heard it as meaning a peace policy in
regard to the Lusitania affair.

The president says he will have
nothing more to say in regard to the
matter until all the facts are receiv-
ed. He said he had nothing to add to
his statement that he realizes that
the country is expecting him to act
with deliberation and firmness.

The president promises that the
American position will be made plain
to Germany as soon as all the neces-
sary information is at hand. He de-
clared that he had an engagement to see
the German ambassador and indicated
that he was not intending to see him
at present.

Ambassador Bernstorff today hand-
ed to Secretary Bryan Germany's of-
ficial expression of regret at the loss
of American lives on the Lusitania.

Bryan also received another note
from the U. S. ambassador at Berlin
but he declined to give out the con-
tents of it. The cabinet held an un-
usually long session today and it is
presumed that the Lusitania incident
was one of the main topics of discus-
sion.

There is continued discussion here
of the suggestion that the United
States sever diplomatic relations with
Germany without a declaration of war.
In this connection, however, it has
been pointed out that such a course
would have a serious effect upon
humanitarian work the United States
has been conducting throughout the
war. Whatever is done, it is believed
probably will be prefaced by an ex-
change of notes with the German gov-
ernment.

The calling of an extra session of
congress so far as can be learned does
not seem to be a part of the president's
plan of procedure. Senator Stone,
chairman of the foreign relations com-
mittee, who called at the executive
offices, said he questioned whether
any reason had been presented for
calling an extra session. He explained,
however, that he had not consult-
ed the president. Messages continue
to pour into the White House from
all parts of the country expressing
confidence in the president and ur-
ging him to pursue various courses.

Considerable discussion developed
in official circles over the attitude
taken in Germany that the people of
the United States were warned by the
German government against going to
Europe on belligerent ships. Secre-
tary Bryan when asked about this
phase of the matter and whether any
warning had been given to the Ameri-
cans from the state department, said:
"I think I had better go no further
than to say that the warning was
given." He added that the German
government never called the depart-
ment's attention to the warning ad-
vertisement, which the German em-
bassy inserted in American newspa-
pers.

Fear that the fate of the Lusitania
might be shared by her sister ships
has caused a number of the neutral
missions here to withhold the regular
diplomatic mail report to their govern-
ments until the sailing of ships which
fly neutral flags. When questioned
by their nationals many of the foreign
representatives are advising against
the use of British vessels as a means
of travel.